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For: METHODS FOR INCREASING CYTIDINE LEVELS IN VIVO AND TREATING
CYTIDING-DEPENDENT HUMAN DISEASES

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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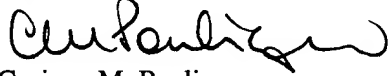
Applicants petition the Commissioner of Patents under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for a two- month extension-of-time, to extend the time for response to the Office Action mailed March 20, 2001, from June 20, 2001 to August 20, 2001.

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